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**Amendments to the Claims:** 

Please cancel claims 11-22.

**Listing of Claims:** 

1. (Currently amended) A flaked feed for aquatic animals comprising uniformed

flaked bodies of feed for said aquatic animals having a water content of from 1-30% and a

variable thickness from 10-350 µm.

2. (Previously presented) The flaked feed according to claim 1, wherein the feed

contains individual flakes with a diameter of from 1 to 100 mm.

3. (Previously presented) The flaked feed according to claim 1, wherein the flakes

contain temperature-sensitive substances.

4. (Previously presented) The flaked feed according to claim 3, wherein the

temperature-sensitive substances are selected from odoriferous and flavoring materials, coloring

materials, enzymes, promoters, probiotics, vitamins, color strengtheners, and mixtures thereof.

5. (Previously presented) The flaked feed according to claim 4, wherein the

probiotics are living bacteria or yeasts.

6. (Previously presented) The flaked feed according to claim 4, wherein the

promoters are growth promoters, fertility promoters, or mixtures thereof.

7. (Previously presented) The flaked feed according to claim 4, wherein the

flavoring material is a sugar.

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- 8. (Previously presented) The flaked feed according to claim 1, wherein the flakes have a round, oval, corrugated, heart-or fish-shaped form or some other uniform geometrical shape.
- 9. (Previously presented) A method of feeding aquatic animals comprising providing a flaked feed according to claim 1 in fresh or sea water.
- 10. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, wherein the aquatic animals are fish, shrimps or invertebrates.

11-22. (Canceled).